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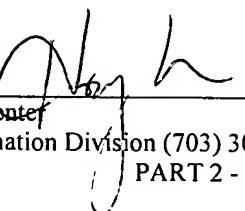
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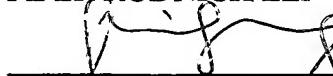
Re: Inventors: Lakshman R. SEHGAL, et al.
Serial No: 10/785,156
Filed: February 25, 2004
For: THERAPEUTIC APPLICATIONS OF THROMBOMODULIN GENE
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SIR:

Attached hereto for filing are the following papers:
Fee Transmittal
Request for Extension of Time (Four-Months)
Filing of Declaration Under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(f)
Declaration, Power of Attorney and Petition (3 pages, executed)
Notice to File Missing Parts (Return Copy)
List of 10 Practitioners to be Recognized by the Office as Being of Record
Statement Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.821-1.825
Sequence Listing Paper Copy (10 pages)
Sequence Listing (Diskette)
Petition Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.47(a) (with two Exhibits)
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Cited Documents (47)

Our check in the amount of \$895.00 is attached covering any required fees. In the event any variance exists between the amount enclosed and the Patent Office charges for filing the above-noted documents, including any fees required under 37 C.F.R.1.136 for any necessary extension of time to make the filing of the attached documents timely, please charge or credit the difference to Deposit Account No. 50-1442. Further, if these papers are not considered timely filed, then a request is hereby made under 37 C.F.R.1.136 for the necessary extension of time. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

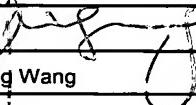
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FEE TRANSMITTAL

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2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES										1403	300	2403	150	Request for Oral Hearing							
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Responsive to the notification dated May 19, 2004, and in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.53(f), Applicants submit herewith a Rule 63 Declaration. The required fee was paid at the time of filing the application.

In light of the foregoing, this application is deemed to be in proper condition for examination and such favorable action is earnestly solicited.

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